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1)	Mambo et al., "A Tentative Approach to Constructing Tamper-Resistant Software"; ACM 1998, pages 23-33.
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A PTO form 1449 listing these documents is enclosed.

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